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**REQUEST FOR CONSIDERATION OF AN INFORMATION
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For reasons set forth below, it is respectfully requested that the United States Patent and Trademark Office (PTO) file for this application be promptly forwarded to Examiner Jean B. Fleurantin for confirmation that the references listed on the PTO-1449 attached to the Information Disclosure Statements filed November 28, 2006 and May 4, 2007 have been considered.

On November 28, 2006 and May 4, 2007 Applicants filed Information Disclosure Statements (IDS) with PTO-1449 forms attached, listing the references submitted for consideration. Copies of the non-U.S. patent references were submitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on November 28, 2006 and May 4, 2007.

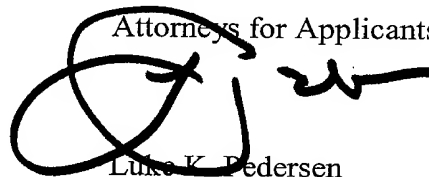
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An Office Action for this application was mailed on May 22, 2007. However, Examiner Jean B. Fleurantin has not returned an initialed copy of the PTO-1449 form indicating consideration of the references cited in the Information Disclosure Statements filed November 28, 2006 and May 4, 2007.

Accordingly, **Applicants hereby request confirmation of consideration of the references on the previously filed Information Disclosure Statements.** Examiner Jean B. Fleurantin is requested to initial the references listed on the PTO-1449 forms to show that they were appropriately considered during examination of this Application. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment, or to charge any additional fee required by this paper, to Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of Baker Botts L.L.P.

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